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This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings, of claims in the application

Claims 1-10 (cancelled)

Claim 11. (Previously Added) A method of replaying or rebroadcasting a baseball game, or a portion thereof, for which a video recording of the baseball game, or a portion thereof, was produced containing substantially every pitch thrown to every batter from a first pitch to a final pitch and game action resulting from every pitch, together with other action occurring during each appearance by every batter, the method comprising (a) editing the video recording to produce an edited recording, the edited recording having video of substantially only (i) the final pitch thrown to every batter and any game action resulting from the final pitch, (ii) successful attempts of runners on base to advance to another base not associated with the game action resulting from the final pitch and (iii) unsuccessful attempts of the runners on base to advance to another base resulting in an out not associated with the game action resulting from the final pitch and (b) playing or broadcasting the edited recording for viewing.

Claim 12 (Previously Added) The method of claim 11 wherein the edited recording for a nine-inning baseball game is about 15 minutes.

Claim 13. (Previously Added) The method of claim 11 wherein said edited recording comprises only a portion of a nine-inning baseball game.

Claim 14. (Previously Added) The method of claim 11 wherein said step of playing or broadcasting the edited recording for viewing is conducted over the Internet.

Claim 15. (Previously Added) The method of claim 11 wherein said step of playing or broadcasting the edited recording for viewing is conducted by playing a videotape recording.

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Claim 16. (Previously Added) The method of claim 11 wherein the edited recording contains audio explaining any substitution of players.

Claim 17 (Previously Added) A method of editing a recorded baseball game in which players from each team appear at bat, and attempt to place a pitched baseball into play and to reach base safely; with players failing to reach base safely being out and players on base attempting unsuccessfully to advance to another base being out; the method comprising: (1) recording each appearance-at-bat for every player and game action resulting from an appearance-at-bat to produce a game recording; (2) editing the game recording of each appearance-at-bat to produce an edited recording by deleting substantially all game action other than (i) game action from a final pitch thrown to each player, (ii) successful attempts of runners on base to advance to another base not associated with the game action resulting from the final pitch and (iii) unsuccessful attempts of the runners on base to advance to another base resulting in an out not associated with the game action resulting from the final pitch; and (3) playing or broadcasting the edited recording as a condensed recorded game, whereby only outcome determinative game action is displayed.

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Claim 18 (Previously Added) The method of claim 17 wherein the edited recording for a nine-inning baseball game is about 15 minutes.

Claim 19. (Previously Added) The method of claim 17 wherein said edited recording comprises only a portion of a nine-inning baseball game.

Claim 20. (Previously Added) The method of claim 17 wherein said step of playing or broadcasting the edited recording is conducted over the Internet.

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Claim 21. (Previously Added) The method of claim 17 wherein said step of playing or broadcasting the edited recording is conducted by playing a videotape recording.

Claim 22. (Previously Added) The method of claim 17 wherein the edited recording contains audio explaining any substitution of players.

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Claim 23 (NEW). A method of replaying or rebroadcasting a baseball game, or a portion thereof, for which a video recording of the baseball game, or a portion thereof, was produced containing substantially every pitch thrown to every batter from a first pitch to a final pitch and game action resulting from every pitch, together with other action occurring during each appearance by every batter, the method comprising (a) editing the video recording to produce an edited recording, the edited recording having video of substantially only (i) the final pitch thrown to every batter and any game action resulting from the final pitch, (ii) successful attempts of runners on base to advance to another base not associated with the game action resulting from the final pitch and (iii) unsuccessful attempts of the runners on base to advance to another base resulting in an out not associated with the game action resulting from the final pitch; (b) obtaining subscribers for viewing the edited recording and (c) playing or broadcasting the edited recording for viewing by the subscribers.

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Claim 24 (NEW). A method of providing a subscription for viewing a recorded baseball game in which players from each team appear at bat, and attempt to place a pitched baseball into play and to reach base safely; with players failing to reach base safely being out and players on base attempting unsuccessfully to advance to another base being out; the method comprising: (1) recording each appearance-at-bat for every player and game action resulting from an appearance-at-bat to produce a game recording; (2) editing the game recording of each appearance-at-bat to produce an edited recording by deleting substantially all game action other than (i) game action from a final pitch thrown to each player, (ii) successful attempts of runners on base to advance to